MEMBERS REMAIN

mended Revenue Bill Must Be Passed on Three Separate Days. .

FINAL ROLL CALL WEDNESDAY

robable Fight on Matter of Creation of Separate State Tax Commission.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] etty generally agreed among legisup the three separate day ages of the revenue bill as amendthe Senate will really take place midnight Tuesday night, the rnal to show final roll call passage orking quorum for this roll call leg-ation can leave on early morning tins, and formal adjournment can be

ken without a quorum toward noon Wednesday, when all acts shall ve been duly ratified. The passage of the revenue bill by Il call is what is holding so many distances, here overtime at their inidual expense

The House calendar is practically ear, but numbers of bills are yet to me over that are blocking the Senl and its amendments pass first read-There are indications that this need for the separate tax commis much need for the separate mmission to get right behind and ep behind the local taxing authori-s in the collection of schedule B and which are not being properly ouilding than paid the taxes in number of important towns, besides city of first rank. There is certain

BILL IS VETOED

Gives Heed to Remonstrance From Washington. arch 9.—Although not of-

lly announced, there is no question at. President Gomez last night ve-ed the general amnesty bill immedi-cely after the receipt of another perptory remonstrance from the Ameri

the features which are considered as long dectionable by the administration at same, ushington. It is absolutely neces-

omez has vetoed the bill giving a con-ssion to the Cuban Sports Company revive the Spanish ball game jai

LONG CAREER ENDED

Fireman, Dies in Hospital.

Charles O. Goode, of 2508 East Clay street, for more than thirty years a nember of the Richmond Fire Department, died last night a 10 o'clock at the Virginia Hospital, after a brief liness. Mr. Goode was kicked by a norse several years ago, and this is selleved to have brought on the trouble which caused his death. He was formerly engineer of Engine Company No. 1, but was transferred to Company No. 1, but was transferred to Company No. 1, but was transferred at the skill on the bases. ormerly engineer of Engine Company to. 1, but was transferred to Company to. 11, where he was stationed at the ime of his death. He won a splendid ecord in the department, and was a ighly valued member.

Mr. Goode, who was sixty years old, eaves a wife, two daughters, Miss annie Goode and Miss Louise Goode, und four sons—John C. Goode, W. Tayor Goode, Harry H. Goode and G. Cenneth Goode. He also leaves two rothers, George A. and John

Arrangements for the funeral had not been completed last night.

REAT CELEBRATION
IN ST. PETERSBURG ENDS

St. Petersburg, March 9.—The cele-rations in connection with the ter-entenary of the accession of the Roanoffs to the imperial throne closed o-night with a gala banquet at the Vinter Palace, to which the Emperor ad invited a thousand guests, includ-

ng all the official foreign visitors.

The imperial family went in solemn procession from the private apartments to the banqueting hall, passing through a double line composed of lundreds of members of the monarchstory of the monarchatter of the

The hall presented a brilliant scene. nd the crown prince were given, and tch toast was greeted with salutes om the guns of the fortress. The city was again illuminated to-ight, searchlights streaming from the

Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch. Hull, England, March 2.—The trawler duniral Togo was wrecked Friday off teams tory keykjavik, Iceland. The crew of twelve were drowned.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] New York, March 9.—Howard Croker, oungest son of Richard Croker, for-ner chief of Tammany Hall, is recov-ring, it is believed, from a dangerous tlack of cerebral pneumonia at the ome of his mother, in East Seventy-ourth Street. The young man passed he crisis yesterday, after having been lelirious for ten days.

Will Appeal to Y. M. C. A. Peking, arch 9.—The National Anti-plum Congress, with a view to asist-China to suppress the opium trade. vill appeal to the Young Men's Chris-ian Association and Missionary So-letles throughout the world to open

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soloist at the next Richmond concert of the New York Philharmonic Society, uses the STEINWAY exclusively. Sole representatives for the

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e calendar. The machinery bill will a fast breaker, who can take an exshown him a lot of new wrinkles by which he hopes to profit greatly. Cree

Harry Wolter has not been cutting loose to the limit His leg which was fractured last season, seems to have the end of the campaign.

Because of its extending equipment, but because it was the first to refuse to let him experiment in it.

Seven patients, with such well-developed cases that they were confined become strong as ever, but naturally to their beds, were given injections he is a bit timorous as yet. He canprofessional men and he is a bit timorous as yet. He can-leing collected. In one not help but favor it a bit. But he ounties, it is asserted, has all his old speed, and it is but a question of time before he will have all his old fearlessness. Wolter was and undoubtedly will be this year one of the most capable base runners with Chance. He is absolutely fearless, a skilled slider, a wonderful quick breaker and as speedy as they come. time he is on the bases the fans gets a run for their money. I think Wol-ter will hold his own with either Chance or Cree, no mater how fast a

pace they may set.

Bert Daniels should be a great base runner, but he never has been. There is great hope for him under Chance's intuition. Bert seems to have caught onto a little sliding knack which was painfully lacking in his work hereto. painfully lacking in his work heretofore. Daniels came from the Tri-State large League with a great reputation as a was hase runner. He never panned out in child. etoing of the bill is not gennown in Havana, only rumors effect having been circulated leations are that Congress will to pass the bill stripped of soup. Daniels could always take as long a lead as any runner in the game, but this advantage was someshington. It is absolutely neces-y, however, to arrange for the mpt release of many hundred ne-es captured during the revolution in ente last year, because all the falls re overcrowded and the appropriation for the feeding of the prisoners can hammer the ball with the rest

ed to add to the speed of any major league outfit. But Chance has several previve the Spanish ball game jai league outht. But Chance has several lai and to establish public gambling-pitchers who can sprint in lively fash-ouses in the principal cities of the stand. Ray Caldwell, for instance, is a rattling good hitter and a finished base ratting good litter and a linished base runner. Jack Warhop is better than the average in the base running line. Sweeney, the first catcher, is a slow fellow, and so is Bob Williams. But the Princeton recruit, is just

skill on the bases.

LIQUOR WILL BE DELIVERED.

Announcement by Southern Express
Agent in Greenville.
Greenville, S. C., March 9.—The local
agent of the Southern Express Company announced to-day that shipments
of liquer with pany announced to-day that shipments of liquor will be delivered to the consignees in this State. This step follows the order of Chief Justice Gary, of the State Supreme Court, yesterday, compelling the express office at Columbia to deliver a package of liquor shipped to that point. The decision of Justico Gary may be taken to the Supreme Court of the United to the Supreme Court of the United States to test the constitutionality the Webb bill, which has resulted in away.

One young man, Harry Rees, is here

MEETING OF STRIKERS IS HELD IN THE WOODS

Paterson, N. J., March 3.—William D. Haywood, president of the Industrial Workers of the World, speaking to-day in a grove near here to a crowd estimated at more than 20,000 persons, told the local silk strikers, who made up a large part of the big gathering, that he would stay here in the East until they won their fight for higher wages and better working conditions. The meeting was held in the woods because the police would not permit a demonstration within the city limits on Sunday, and because no convenient hall could be found large enough to contain those who wished to attend the meeting. Haywood urged all classes of labor in the mills to join the workers who are out and prophesied a victory. The stationary engineers and the teamsters at the mills are preparing to join the strike, it is said.

Friedmann in Germany and was saving money to go to Germany to be cured. On learning that he was coming here, he hurried to this city. His condition is pitiful.

Another young man came from Michigan, and was equally unsuccessful in advanced stage of the disease and came here as a last hope. For three years here

Taft Has Quiet Sunday.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Augusta, Ga., March 2.—Former
resident Taft spent a quiet Sunday. In the morning he attended the First Baptist Church with Dr. Nicholas Mur-ray Butler. Mrs. Taft and Miss Helen, with other members of the Taft party, attended services at St. Paul's Episco-pal Church. After luncheon Mr. Taft dictated several letters to his secretary and then went driving. During his stay here the former President has refused to be interviewed, excusing himself by saying that he is here solely for rest and recreation.

Executions Reported. Laredo, Texas, March 9.—It is reported that all of the Federals captured by the Carranza forces at Lampasos, Mexico, were executed late today. This report, however, has not been confirmed.

GIVEN CHANCE TO 116 PASSENGERS WILSON'S POLICY PROVE HIS SERUM

Friedmann's Tuberculosis

"Cure."

First Professional Courtesy

Shown Him.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] New York, March 9 .- Though the County Medical Society and various local hospitals of national repute have been inclined to scoff at Dr. Friederick Oldest Music House in Virginia Franz Friedmann, the United States government has taken the situation in afternoon. its own hands and afforded him a fair opportunity to prove the efficacy

of his new tuberculosis serum.

This evening, between 6 and 7 o'clock, a thorough test of the serum was started at the Mount Sinai Hosital, under the supervision of Dr. John F. Anderson, director of the hygienic laboratory of the Public Health and Washington this morning and imme-diately went to the Ansonia, where they

which he hopes to profit greatly. Cree has a notion in his head that he will ly eager to go to this hospital, not only make the fans sit up in wonder before the end of the campaign.

The recumant was partially eager to go to this hospital, not only because of its excellent equipment, but because it was the first to refuse to

the government officials were greatly pleased with the manner in which the treatments were made by Dr. Friedmann and the care that he took.

Fully thirty, among them a dozen

well known physicians, were present and gave Dr. Friedmann credit for the skill with which he worked and his apparent earnestness and sincerity When Dr. Friedmann came from the large operating-room where the clinic was held, he wore the smile of a happy

expect to see signs of improvement within a month.

"Everything went on most auspictously," said Dr. S. S. Goldwater, superintendent of the hospital, who answered swered as spokesman for the doctors present. "We were all pleased with three or four minutes with

the close of the clinic Dr. Antreal, whence he goes to-morrow ning, on a three or four-days' trip.
When Dr. Anderson was seen at the
Hotel Martinique, he said that he was
under orders not to say anything about

the experiments or plans." "I came at the request of Surgeon-General Blue, and I return to-morrow to make my report to him," he said.
"Dr. Stimson will remain here to
watch the cases. Any information
must come from Washington."

The government is endeavoring to refrain from expressing any opinion regarding the serum until definite results have been secured, he observed.

Plead for Treatment.

All day long, though Dr. Friedmann's new address is little known, men in the last stages of consumption stag-gred to the Hotel Ansonia for treatment. But, owing to the peculiar situa-tion Dr. Friedmann has been placed in, he does not feel that he can treat any patients outside of the hospitals All applicants were therefore turned

practically stranded. He came from Richwood, W. Va., and has been endea-voring to see Dr. Friedmann ever since Wednesday. He wrote Friedmann in Germany and was saving money to go to Germany to be cured.

lows, to Pacific Coast. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Los Angeles, Cal., March 9 .- Pushing wheelbarrow labeled: "From Ma-juoketa, Iowa, to the Pacific or bust," Tharles Nigg is expected to pay his election bet when he reaches Long Beach to-morrow night, after a tramp of 2,300 miles from Maquoketa to the

Last November Nigg made a wager that Woodrow Wilson would not re-ceive fifty electoral votes. The loser ceive fifty electoral votes. The losor of the wager was to leave Maquoketa, bareheaded, with one day's rations, pushing a wheel barrow, and tramp to the Pacific Coast. Nigg was the

Government Takes Hold of Dr. Taken Off Stranded British Practically Certain That He Will Stramer and Safely Landed in Key West.

SEVEN PATIENTS TREATED WIRELESS CALL ANSWERED SITUATION

German Physician Grateful for Work of Transferring From One Danger to Americans as Grave as Vessel to Other Done . in Two Hours.

> dred and sixteen passengers, all of whom were immigrants, bound from Spain to Cuba, with the exception of two first-class passengers, were rescued from the British steamer Lugano, ashore on the Ajax reef, off the Florida coast, by the tub Rescue, this

To-night the passengers, muttering thanks in their language for their delivery from the peril that confronted them, were landed here by the tug. All of the passengers have been housed in buildings along the docks, cots having been obtained for them prior to the arrival of the tug Res-

Marine Hospital Service, and Dr. A.
M. Stimson, surgeon in the service.
Both of these officials arrived from sea, was effected in two hours, small rescued, twelve were women, fifteen children and the remaining eighty-

was pleased as a child at this first professional courtesy extended to him, and said he would be only too glad to help in every way. He even gave them a plentiful supply of serum to be used by the government in experiments on monkeys, thus letting the precious fluid out of his own hands for the first time since he entered the country.

Through the government officials, Mount Sinal Hospital was secured as the scene of the first experiments on adults. Dr. Friedmann was particularly safety to reach the breatted as the scene of the first experiments on adults. Dr. Friedmann was particularly safety to reach the breatted as the scene of the first experiments on adults. Dr. Friedmann was particularly safety to reach the breatted was processed to him, it was 1:30 o'clock this morning the was 1:30 o'clock this morning when the Lugano suddenly struck the reef. Captain Penwill immediately realized that the position of the vessel was serious. Distress rockets sent into the air told of the accident, but no answering signal came. The wire-less sputtered its fateful "S. O. S." across the waters, but vainly waited for an answer through the early morning hours, while day was breaking. Finally the fateful message of the British ship was picked up by the British ship was picked up by the United States wireless station here. At the same time it was intercepted by the tug Rescue, bound for this port. The

latter vessel immediately set out for the Lugano, and had succeeded in res-cuing her passengers before additional tugs, sent from here, arrived at the Captain Penwill, of the Lugano, which was bound from Liverpool to Cuban ports, to-night wired officials

the steamer is unknown. It is re-ported that the waters of the Gulf of Mexico were quiet last night and early

Another Steamer Ashore. Key West, Fla., March 9.—The Brit-ish steamer Howth Head is ashore off Molasses Reet to-night. The United States revenue cutter Miami is standing by the ship and giving assistance. by the ship and giving assistant Howth Head is reported to be

The Howth Head is from Talbot, Wales, and is carrying no cargo or passengers. Key West wreckers have gone to Molasses reef prepared to stand by during the pight. by during the night.

Weather conditions are good, with light seas.

These rebels were willing to proceed on foot to take up the campaign against the Carranzistas, but would not trust themselves to trains.

MORGANS BUY COAL LANDS.

Purchase 100,000 Acres in Three West

Virginia Counties.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Cumberland, Md., March Morgan interests have purchased from Colonel J. M. Guffey, of Pittsburgh, coal lands in Taylor, Barbour and Preston Counties, W. Va., paying about \$100, paying about \$100. deal hinged on the construction of the Buchanon and Northern Railroad into the field and to provide a seaboard outlet for the coal. The line, which derson and Dr. Stimson had a long conference with Dr. Friedmann, who will place himself entirely at their service when he returns from Monin operation from Rivesville to Pitts-

M'DONALD SPEAKS BEFORE Y. M. C. A.

Rostrum With Canadian Editor.

Washington, March 3.—With Secretary of State Bryan and Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels occupying seats on the platform, J. A. McDonald, of Toronto, a prominent Canadian editor, was the principal speaker at a Y. M. C. A. meeting here to-day. Introducing Mr. McDonald. Secretary to the secretary to obtain his release.

States and Canada in friendly relations, in social righteousness and in equality of opportunity formed the keynote of the address of Mr. McDonald.

he has been sleeping every night out of doors, he said, and the confinement in a hotel is injuring him greatly.

The County Medical Society will hold an executive meeting to-morrow night to consider the advisability of taking some action regarding the legality of the clinic held to-day by Dr. Friedmann.

"My brother considers that it is better to go to jail for ten years by treading on the heels of the law than to fail to cure consumption," said Dr. A. C. H. Friedmann to-day, when told of the dangers that were incurred.

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Deluge Stops Contest Between Tigers and Reds.

Mobile, Ala., March 9.—With two men on the bases and two out, a deluge came down upon the Monroe Park diamond in the first inning this afternoon and stopped the game between Detroit and Cincinnati. Burch, who was with Monmouth. Ills, last season, started in to pitch for Cincinnati, and it looked like he was going to break all records for charity. He had passed two of the four men who completed their turns at the bat, and had three balls on Gainer, when the game was called.

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BODY FOUND IN LAKE.

Police Believe George L. Degant Comto-day. Degant had been missing since early Saturday morning. He had been in ill health for some time, and it is the theory of police officials that he committed suicide.

The only living relative is a daughter, Mrs. Myrtle P. Probey, of Wash-

Be Recalled From Mexico.

STILL ACUTE

It Was Six Weeks

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

Washington, March 9 .- Additiona indications that the United States will be compelled to hold troops and warbe compelled to hold troops and war-ships in the vicinity of Mexico in-definiately were furnished with the re-ports which reached the War and Navy Departments to-day of deter-mined opposition to the Huerta gov-ernment in the interior and mountain

ernment in the interior and mountain provinces of the republic.

Officials of the War and Navy Departments also accept it as a foregone conclusion that the Wilson administration will recall Ambassador Wilson and will reverse his policy toward the Huerta-Diaz government.

The fact that a strong Maderist sentiment exists in Mexico, and that provisional President Huerta is far from visional President Huerta is far from sador Wilson have shown, indicate that the situation, so far as the danger of injury to Americans is concerned, is not changed from what it was six

Condition Improving.

Mexico City, March 9.—The situation throughout the republic, outside of the States of Coahulla and Sonora, has shown improvement during the past week. Zapatista outrages, though still reported from time to time, have occurred with less frequency. occurred with less frequency, and while Zapata himself is still keeping under cover, there is reason to believe that he is still at least in a receptive

The government emissaries who went to confer with Zapata in an attempt to find a basis for his surrender have not yet reported. In the meantime several warments are surrently yet reported. In the meantime sevbelieved to be operating under his gen-eral command, have laid down their

which was bound from Liverpool to Cuban ports, to-night wired officials of the Lloyd Line, to which the Lugano belonged, notifying them of the accident and asking that aid be sent at once in an effort to save the ship. When the tug Rescue left the ship this afternoon she had eighteen feet of water in her first hold.

The exact cause of the accident to the steamer is unknown. It is the steamer is unknown.

Antonio Herrera, the rebel chief, who has been operating for months in the State of Zacatecas, has sent a letter to the War Minister, General Mondragon, saying that he and his men are ready to yield as soon as they are assured of the passage by Congress of the ampesty law

the amnesty law. Rebels Are Suspicious.

Indicative of the suspicion which is holding back many rebels who would otherwise doubtless be willing to quit the field, part of the command of Cheche Campos, formerly with Orozco around Torreon, but now supporting the administration, back refused to an the administration, have refused to en-train for Monclova, declaring their be-lief that this is a trick to bring them to the national capital for punishment.

Railroad and telegraph communica-tion is gradually being restored. The telegraph line was in operation to-day to Juarez. It is announced at the

day to Juarez. It is announced at the railroad offices that rail communication will be re-established to-morrow direct to Monterey.

Dr. Francisco Vasquez Gomez, for President, and Alfredo Robles Dominguez, for Vice-President, have begun their campaign at Guanajuato. Vasquez Gomez was formerly Minister of Public Instruction and was conted by

res. The lon of the long troad into seaboard ne, which l, will be long the Ballingthe Ballwestern long to believe long to be lever long to be nications. He was accompanied by Emilio Campa, one of Orozco's chief

lieutenants.

General Antonio Rabago, Governor of Chihuahua, has been deluged with offers from former rebel chiefs to go to Sonora and Coahuila to aid the government. Campa is anxious to take up the campaign in Sonora, where he says he has old scores to settle. The various offers have been communicated to President Huerta for his approval. Conditions throughout the State of Conditions throughout the State of Chihuahua are improving, according to the latest advices. Bankers and bus-iness men have offered the Governor funds to aid in quelling the disorders. Blames Death on Wife.

Secretaries Bryan and Daniels on stated that so far as it has gone the investigation into the killing of former President Madero and former Vice-President Pino Sucrez, showed that the solicitude of Mrs. Madero, for her hus-

tor, was the principal speaker at a Y. M. C. A. meeting here to-day. Introducing Mr. McDonald, Secretary Bryan referred to him as "the great Canadian and a man who is as much interested in the manhood of the United States as he is in the success of Canadia."

In her efforts to effect a rescue, her husband would not have been killed. In her anxiety to obtain his release, Mrs Madero persuaded several groups of men loyal to Madero to go to the penitentiary school of target practice and the Ciudadela, not knowing to ada." Secretary Bryan referred to himself as the connecting link between the President and the outside world. He manifested his support of unity of action and sentiments among all English-speaking people.

Rec'procity between the United States and Canada in friendly relations, do so would interfere with the admin-istration of justice.

"The judicial investigation of the

torena, of Sonora, whose whereabouts is unknown. The Department of For-eign Relations has ordered the Mexi-can consuls along the Americani bor-Atlanta, Ga., March 2.—The body of George D. Degant, sixty-five, a prominent local insurance company official, was found floating in the water of a small lake on the outskirts of Atlanta to-day. Degant had been missing since sarly Saturday moving. He had been properly started and form a second and form a second sarly saturday moving.

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for this secession movement. The government is trying to belittle the reports that Mexico is to be divided into three republics, but the tremendous activity shown in pouring troops into Sonora indicates that the importance of the threatened denser is ance of the threatened danger is rea-

lence is adding greatly to the fears already entertained. Although the state government of Chihushua has expressed loyalty to the present ad-ministration it is known that the talk of secession has been going on in that state for more than a year, and it is thought likely that in the event of a war of secession, Chihuahua would join with Sinalao and Sonora and cer-tainly with Tamalipas and Nuevo Leon. The government feels that it is strong enough to stop the secessionist move-ment within a short time and the opin-ion here is that the secessionists will

The dispatch printed in American newspapers to-day regarding the Gua-temalan junta was telegraphed back here and has caused a stir among the secret, police. The members of the junta are now in hiding.

The War Department announces that no news has been received concerning the fighting in Coahuila. The situation over the Zapata land settlement is still unsettled, and Zapata has not decided which course he will take. In the meantime the rebel leader, De la O, is on the war nath.

is on the war path.

Admirer of Wilson.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Mexico City, March 9.—Emillo Rabasa, the newly appointed ambassador to the United States, wrote a book a year ago on democracy, in which he speaks very highly of Woodrow Wil-son's ideas on statehood. This was men-tioned to-day by Minister de la Barra, who said he believed that this feeling would tend to promote friendly rela-tions between the countries. In com-menting upon the statement credited to President Wilson that he would do all in his power to avoid complications with Mexico, Senor de la Barra said: "Such a statement is to be expected from President Wilson, whom I believe to be a great thinker, a profound statesman and a man of firm moral principles. All of this will go far toward shaping the government policy toward foreign nations. I have read President Wilson's bear The Charles. President Wilson's book, 'The State,' and I firmly believe that all Mexicans may well put trust in the author to act justly in all things, great and small."

Many Federal Desertions.

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Douglas, Ariz., March 9.—Encamped within striking distance of several important border towns, the 8,500 constitutionalista troops rested on their arms to-day, while insurrections among Federal garrisons strengthened materially the rebel forces.

No word has come from Nacozaro, south of the several company of the seve

south of here, where a firce battle waged all yesterday, and it is not known what the result of the encounter has been. The last word received from the besieged city was from the telegraph operator, who flashed "too hot for me here," and left his key just before all wires between Douglas and

Nacozari were cut.

Open revolt and scenes of disorder have occurred among 250 Federal de-fenders of Agua Prieta and the mili-tary officials there to-day gave warning to all Americans to leave the

town.

To-day the best citizens of Agua Prieta generally fied to Douglas, while the drunken and rebellious soldiers paraded the streets crying, "Viva Madero!" "Viva Maytorena!" and "Viva Diaz!" Browls between politically estimated to the streets of the streets tranged companions in arms added to the town in its grip throughout the would have carried off \$40,000

Desertions among the Federal sol-Desertions among the Federal soldiers at Guayamas, the California Gulf port held by the Federals, were reported here to-day, and though orders were received by the commander of that garrison to move against Hermosillo with his full force immediately, no succeeding the soldiers whistled around them, escaped with eight Turkish rugs worth \$1,500; two Chippenadle chairs, a small prove has been made by them.

City states that another division of troopers, numbering 2,000, has started its march against Hermosillo to at-tack the constitutionalistas. Mobilization of rebel troops began last night and continued through to-day. At Magdalena 1,000 new recruits organized and are now ready to take the field. The State troops commandered trains for use in the transportation of insurgent

are now in complete control of Soby the forces said to have been dis

by the forces said to have been dispatched by Huerta.

Colonel Emilio Kosterlitzky, commander of the Federal rural police in the state, made the public statement to day that "things look pretty bad." He received a report from Federal agents to-day that 600 rebel troops were moving against Nogajes Songer. valuables, including safes, were brought to the American side to-day from the Mexican toms house and Nogales banks preparing to transfer funds to this

side of the border.
General Ojeda, commander at Agua Prieta, yesterday received orders to evacuate the town and march to No-gales, but this order was rescinded when Mexico City learned of the battle waging at Nacozari.

[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.] Cairo, March 9.—Porfirio Diaz left here to-day in the Khedive's special car. He will embark at Alexandria to-morrow for Naples.

Responsibility for President Madero's execution was denied by Diaz before leaving here to-day. He declared emphatically that he disapproved of it.

"The situation in Moxico is grave," said the ex-President, "and particular ly grave is the condition of the situation. ly grave is the condition of the fi-"When I resigned there was \$20,

000,000 inspecie in the treasury, but when Madero was deposted only \$45,-000 remained."

Diaz added that he had learned on the support of Maylor's intention to good authority of Mexico's intention to float a loan of \$50,000,000. He said he would return here for three months next winter.

SHIPMENTS OF FERTILIZERS.

A. C. L. Officials Say Traffic Is Heaviest in Years. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Rocky Mount, N. C., March 9.—The statement is made from the headquarters of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad here that the movement of fertilizers at this time is the heaviest in years, and the officials are trying to figure out whether this means a greatly increased acreage along the system this year or whether it is an indication this year or whether it is an indication that more intensive farming will be done. Officials here state that the railroad is now handling in excess of 250 carloads out of Charleston and 150 250 carloads out of Charleston and too out of Wilmington every twenty-four hours, and that the shipments from mills and distributing agencies at other places along the line are equally heavy. Newbern, Goldsboro, Rocky

heavy, Newbern, Goldsboro, Rocky Mount and other places furnishing from one to several dozen cars a day. There have been a number of ten-tative propositions made the city au-thorities within the past few months relative to the granting of a street car franchise. A special committee of the Aldermen is now working on a franchise which will protect the streets of the city and be a revenue producer, graduated in the latter provision according to the earnings of the street railway company. The franchise as drawn will be submitted to the several companies which have been consider-ing this city, and the one which ac-cepts it first will be allowed to go

THIEVES PUT TO FLIGHT

They Had Come Prepared to Loot Mrs. Burnett's Home.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] New York, March 9.—A few minutes more, early this morning, and burglars

Rioting Expected.

It is reported that Federal officers there are in bitter disagreement and rioting is expected. A message received at Nogales to-day from Mexico City states that another division of grating too small to admit a man. The boy's coat, left in hasty flight, may yet lead to the thieves arrest. The house had been closed for some weeks, Mrs. Burnett having gone to

reports. The government is evidently profoundly stirred, fearing that the movement may be much greater than appears upon the surface. It is now rumored that Tabasco, Chicapas, Campeche, Yucatan and Quintanaroo are preparing to secede and form a separate republic. This is not causing much surprise, as the people in those states have long been antagonistic to the Mexicans.

It was learned to-day that a junta has been meeting in the capital for